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Proposed Class:

Subclass:

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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IMPROVED PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ALCOHOLIC For (title): **BEVERAGES USING MALTSEED**

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Reg. 56,439, at 56,442.

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1. Type of Application

This new application is for a(n)

(check one applicable item below)

	[]	Original (nonprovisional) Design Plant
WARNI	NG:	Do not use this transmittal for a completion in the U.S. of an International Application under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4), unless the International Application is being filed as a divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part application.
WARNI	NG:	Do not use this transmittal for the filing of a provisional application.
NOTE:	TRANS	f the following 3 items apply, then complete and attach ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION MITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF A PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED and a NOTIFICATION IN TAPPLICATION OF THE FILING OF THIS CONTINUATION APPLICATION.
	[] [X] []	Divisional. Continuation. Continuation-in-part (C-I-P).

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. Sections 119(e), 120, or 121)

NOTE: A nonprovisional application may claim an invention disclosed in one or more prior filed copending nonprovisional applications or copending international applications designating the United States of America. In order for a nonprovisional application to claim the benefit of a prior filed copending nonprovisional application or copending international application designating the United States of America, each prior application must name as an inventor at least one inventor named in the later filed nonprovisional application and disclose the named inventor's invention claimed in at least one claim of the later filed nonprovisional application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. Section 112, Each prior application must also be:

- (I) An international application entitled to a filing date in accordance with PCT Article 11 and designating the United States of America; or
- (ii) Complete as set forth in Section 1.51(b); or
- (iii) Entitled to a filing date as set forth in Section 1.53(b) or Section 1.53(d) and include the basic filing fee set forth in Section 1.16; or
- (iv) Entitled to a filing date as set forth in Section 1.53(b) and have paid therein the processing and retention fee set forth in Section 1.21(l) within the time period set forth in Section 1.53(f).

37 C.F.R. Section 1.78(a)(1).

NOTE If the new application being transmitted is a divisional, continuation or a continuation-in-part of a parent case, or where the parent case is an International Application which designated the U.S., or benefit of a prior provisional application is claimed, then check the following item and complete and attach ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.

WARNING:

If an application claims the benefit of the filing date of an earlier filed application under 35 U.S.C. 120, 121 or 365(c), the 20-year term of that application will be based upon the filing date of the earliest U.S. application that the application makes reference to under 35 U.S.C. 120, 121 or 365(c). (35 U.S.C. 154(a)(2) does not take into account, for the determination of the patent term, any application on which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119, 365(a) or 365(b).) For a c-I-p application, applicant should review whether any claim in the patent that will issue is supported by an earlier application and, if not, the applicant should consider canceling the reference to the earlier filed application. The term of a patent is not based on a claim-by-claim approach. See Notice of April 14, 1995, 60 Fed. Reg. 20,195, at 20,205.

WARNING:

When the last day of pendency of a provisional application falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or Federal holiday within the District of Columbia, any nonprovisional application claiming benefit of the provisional application must be filed prior to the Saturday, Sunday, or Federal holiday within the District of Columbia. See 37 C.F.R. Section 1.78(a)(3).

[X] The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s). Enclosed are ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.

3. Papers Enclosed

- A. Required for Filing Date under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. Section 1.153 (Design) Application
 - 33 Pages of Specification
 - 2 Pages of Claims
 - 2 Sheets of Drawing

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DO NOT submit original drawings. A high quality copy of the drawings should be supplied when filing a patent application. The drawings that are submitted to the Office must be on strong, white, smooth, and non-shiny paper and meet the standards according to Section 1.84. If corrections to the drawings are necessary, they should be made to the original drawing and a high-quality copy of the corrected original drawing then submitted to the Office. Only one copy is required or desired. For comments on proposed then-new 37 C.F.R. 1.84, see Notice of March 9, 1988. (1990 O.G. 57-62).

NOTE: "Identifying indicia, if provided, should include the application number or the title of the invention, inventor's name, docket number (if any), and the name and telephone number of a person to call if the Office is unable to match the drawings to the proper application. This information should be placed on the back of each sheet of drawing a minimum distance of 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch) down from the top of the page..." 37 C.F.R. Section 1.84(c)).

(complete the following, if applicable)

[]	The enclosed drawing(s) are in color, and there is also attached a "PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWING(S)." 37 C.F.R. Section 1.84(b).
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Other Papers Enclosed 8 Pages of declaration and power of attorney 1 Pages of Abstract Other
dditional Papers Enclosed
[] Amendment to claims
 [X] Cancel in this application claims 1-8 before calculating the filing fee. [X] Add the claims shown on the attached amendment. (Claims added have been numbered consecutively following the highest numbered original claims.)
Preliminary Amendment Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. Section 1.98) Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B) Citations Declaration of Biological Deposit Submission of "Sequence Listing," computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence. Authorization of Attorney(s) to Accept and Follow Instructions from Representative Special Comments City Other: TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWING SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENT
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• 5. Declaration or Oath (including power of attorney)

NOTE: A newly executed declaration is not required in a continuation or divisional application provided the prior nonprovisional application contained a declaration as required, the application being filed is by all or fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, there is no new matter in the application being filed, and a copy of the executed declaration filed in the prior application (showing the signature or an indication thereon that it was signed) is submitted. The copy must be accompanied by a statement requesting deletion of the names of person(s) who are not inventors of the application being filed. If the declaration in the prior application was filed under Section 1.47 then a copy of that declaration must be filed accompanied by a copy of the decision granting Section 1.47 status or, if a nonsigning person under Section 1.47 has subsequently joined in a prior application, then a copy of the subsequently executed declaration must be filed. See 37 C.F.R. Section 1.63(d)(1)-(3).

NOTE: A declaration filed to complete an application must be executed, identify the specification to which it is directed, identify each inventor by full name, including the family name, and at least one given name without abbreviation together with any other given name or initial, and the residence, post office address and country of citizenship of each inventor, and state whether the inventor is a sole or joint inventor. 37 C.F.R. Section 1.63(a)(1)-(4).

NOTE: A The inventorship of a nonprovisional application is that inventorship set forth in the oath or declaration as prescribed by Section 1.62, except as provided for in Section 1.53(d)(4) and Section 1.63(d). If an oath or declaration as prescribed by Section 1.63 is not filed during the pendency of a nonprovisional application, the inventorship is that inventorship set forth in the application papers filed pursuant to Section 1.53(b), unless a petition under this paragraph accompanied by the fee set forth in Section 1.17(1) is filed supplying or changing the name or names of the inventor or inventors. 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(a)(1).

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		Execut	ed by	(check all applicable boxes)
		[X] [] []	joint in	or(s). epresentative of inventor(s). 37 C.F.R. Section 1.42 or 1.43. eventor or person showing a proprietary interest on behalf of inventor fused to sign or cannot be reached.
			[]	This is the petition required by 37 C.F.R. Section 1.47 and the statement required by 37 C.F.R. Section 1.47 is also attached. See item 13 below for fee.
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NOTE:	applicati a contin	ion contain uation or c	ns subject continuati	tion in the U.S. of an International Application, or where the completion of the U.S. matter in addition to the International Application, the application may be treated a on-in-part, as the case may be, utilizing ADDED PAGE FOR NEW APPLICATION ENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED.
		[]		ation is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. 1.41 on behalf he above named inventor(s).
(The deci	laration	or oath,	along with the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e), can be filed subsequently).
			[]	Showing that the filing is authorized. (not required unless called into question. 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(d))
6.	Invent	orship S	tateme	nt
WARNI	NG:			tors are each not the inventors of all the claims an explanation, including the arious claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.
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		[]	The attached translation includes a statement that 37 C.F.R. Section 1.52(d).	t the translation is accurate.
8.	Assigi	nment		
	[X]		signment of the invention to MOGEN INTERNATI BROCADES N.V.	ONAL NV and
		[]	is attached. A separate [] "COVER SHEET FOR MENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT AP FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.	
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NOTE: WARNI	for the a	assignmen A newly	is submitted with a new application, send two separate letters: It" Notice of May 4, 1990 (1114 O.G. 77-78). Pexecuted "STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. Section 3.73(b)" n Application is filed by an assignee. Notice of April 30, 1993, 1	nust be filed when a continuation
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This item is for any foreign priority for which the application being filed directly relates. If any parent U.S. application or International Application from which this application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 is itself entitled to priority from a prior foreign application, then complete item 18 on the ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED.

10. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

A. [X] Regular application

			CLAIMS A	S FILED		
Claim	S	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. Section 1. \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(c))		9	- 20 =	x	\$ 18.00	
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b))		1	- 3 =	х	\$ 84.00	
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11.	Small	Small Entity Statement(s)				
	[]	Statement(s) that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.9 and 1.27 is (are) attached.				
WARNING: "Status as a small entity must be specifically established in each application or patent in which is available and desired. Status as a small entity in one application or patent does not affect application or patent, including applications or patents which are directly or indirectly dependent application or patent in which the status has been established. The refiling of an application under 1.53 as a continuation, division, or continuation-in-part (including a continued prosecution application 1.53(d)), or the filing of a reissue application requires a new determination as to entitlement to small entity status for the continuing or reissue application. A nonprovisional applicationing benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, 121, or 365(c) of a prior application, or a reissue application or a statement filed in the prior application or in the patent if the nonprovisional applications a copy of the statement in the prior application or in the patent and status as a small entitled a copy of the statement in the prior application or in the patent and status as a small entitled as a copy of the statement in the prior application or in the patent and status as a small entitled as a copy of this Section." 37 C.F.R. Section 1.28(a)(2). WARNING: "Small entity status must not be established when the person or persons signing the state unequivocally make the required self-certification." M.P.E.P. Section 509.03, 6th ed., rev. 2, . (emphasis added).						
		(complete the following, if applicable)				
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	[] Status as a small entity was claimed in prior application, filed on from which benefit is being claim					
		for this application under:				
		35 U.S.C. Section [] 119(e) - provisional, [] 120 - continuation, [] 121 divisional, [] 365(c) - PCT,				
		and which status as a small entity is still proper and desired.				
		[] A copy of the statement in the prior application is included.				
		Filing Fee Calculation (50% of A, B or C above)				
NOTE:	2 month	ess of the full fee paid will be refunded if a small entity status is established refund request are filed within s of the date of timely payment of a full fee. The two-month period is not extendable under Section 1.136. 37 Section 1.28(a).				
12.	Reque	est for International-Type Search (37 C.F.R. Section 1.104(d))				
		(complete, if applicable)				
	[]	Please prepare an international-type search report for this application at the time when				

13.	Fee P	ayment	Being Made at This Time				
	[]	Not Enclosed					
		[]	No filing fee is to be paid at this time. (This and the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. Sec subsequently.)	ction 1.16(e) can be paid			
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		[X]	Filing fee	\$740.00_			
		[]	Recording assignment (\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION.")	\$			
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		[]	Petition fee for filing by other than all the inventors or person on behalf of the inventor where inventor refused to sign or cannot be reached (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.47 and 1.17(I))	\$			
		[]	For processing an application with a specification in a non-English language (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.52(d) and 1.17(k))	\$			
		[]	Processing and retention fee (\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.53(d) and 1.21(l))	\$			
		[]	Fee for international-type search report (\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(e))	\$			

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(l) establishes a fee for processing and retaining any application that is abandoned for failing to complete the application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.53(f) and this, as well as the changes to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.53 and 1.78(a)(1), indicate that in order to obtain the benefit of a prior U.S. application, either the basic filing fee must be paid, or the processing and retention fee of Section 1.21(l) must be paid, within 1 year from notification under Section 53(f).

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NOTE: Fees should be itemized in such a manner that it is clear for which purpose the fees are paid. 37 C.F.R. Section 1.22(b).

15. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

WARNING: If no fees are to be paid on filing, the following items should not be completed.

WARNING: Accurately count claims, especially multiple dependent claims, to avoid unexpected high charges, if extra claim charges are authorized.

- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No.12-0425.
 - [X] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)
 - [] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), (c) and (d) (presentation of extra claims)

NOTE: Because additional fees for excess or multiple dependent claims not paid on filing or on later presentation must only be paid or these claims cancelled by amendment prior to the expiration of the time period set for response by the PTO in any notice of fee deficiency (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(d)), it might be best not to authorize the PTO to charge additional claim fees, except possibly when dealing with amendments after final action.

- [] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)
- [X] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a).
- [X] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

NOTE: "A written request may be submitted in an application that is an authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. An authorization to charge all required fees, fees under Section 1.17, or all required extension of time fees will be treated as a constructive petition for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission. Submission of the fee set forth in Section 1.17(a) will also be treated as a constructive petition for an extension of time in any concurrent reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission." 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a)(3).

[X] 37 C.F.R. Section 1.18 (issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.311(b))

NOTE: Where an authorization to charge the issue fee to a deposit account has been filed before the mailing of a Notice of Allowance, the issue fee will be automatically charged to the deposit account at the time of mailing the notice of allowance. 37 C.F.R. Section 1.311(b)).

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. Section 1.28(b) requires "Notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status must be filed in the application . . . prior to paying, or at the time of paying, . . issue fee." From the wording of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.28(b), (a) notification of change of status must be made even if the fee is paid as "other than a small entity" and (b) no notification is required if the change is to another small entity.

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NOTE: "... Amounts of twenty-five dollars or less will not be returned unless specifically requested within a reasonable time, nor will the payer be notified of such amounts; amounts over twenty-five dollars may be returned by check or, if requested, by credit to a deposit account." 37 C.F.R. Section 1.26(a).

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[X] Incorporation by reference of added pages

(check the following item if the application in this transmittal claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s) (including an international application entering the U.S. stage as a continuation, divisional or C-I-P application) and complete and attach the ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION(S) CLAIMED)

[\(\)]	Application(s) Claimed			
	Number of pages added5			
[X]	Plus Added Pages for Papers Referred to in Item 4 Above			
	Number of pages added16			
[]	Plus added pages deleting names of inventor(s) named on prior application(s) who is/are no longer inventor(s) of the subject matter claimed in this application. Number of pages added			
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In re application of: Jerome SOUPPE, et al.

For: IMPROVED PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES **USING MALTSEED**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWING(S) PRIOR TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

Attached please find the formal drawings for this application. CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a) and 1.10* (When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is mandatory; Express Mail certification is optional.) ø I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being: MAILING \boxtimes deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a) 37 C.F.R. 1.10* with sufficient postage as first class mail. Mailing Label No. EL728245339US (mandatory) TRANSMISSION transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office.

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SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENT FOR APPROVAL BY EXAMINER (37 C.F.R. 1.123)

Attached please find a copy of the original drawing(s)

(check applicable items)

with red ink markings,

showing the proposed changes to the drawing(s) in this application, for which the approval of the Examiner is requested.

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